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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed January 18, 2007. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections in view of the foregoing amendments and the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.